Paper Served.

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While the members sat waiting for Colonei Lane to call to order. Deputy City Sergeant Thomas D. Neal. Jr., served upon each of them the following paper, which was granted by Judge D. Gardiner Tyler. In Williamsburg. Tuesday afternoon:

"Commonwealth of Virginia:

"To the members of the General Board of Directors of the Hospitals for the Insane of the State of Virginia. Commissioner of State hospitals and ex-office consisting of L W. Lane, Jr., commissioner of State hospitals and ex-office mairman; Robert Gilliam, George C. Bland, J. Gordon Bohannon, H. D. Cole, S. H. Hansborough, H. L. Morgan, J. G. Osborne, Julius Straus, James La Trodway, R. S. Turk, O. C. Wright, and C. C. Tallaferro—Greeting:

"For certain causes moved before the judge of the Circuit Court of the city of Williamsburg and county of James City, we command you, and every one of you, that you, or one of you, the record and proceedings had before you upon certain charges and specifications against L. S. Foster, Superintendent of the Eastern State Mospital, summoning him to appear before you on the 14th day of January, 1907, in the city of Williamsburg, and show cause why he should not be removed from said office of superintendent of said Eastern State Hospital for the reasons stated therein, with all things touching the same as fully and wholly as the same are before you now residing, to the judge of our said Circuit Court of the city of Williamsburg and county of James City at the Courthouse thereof, on the 1st day of the next term, do send, and certify enclosed, together with this writ; and that you do stay all further proceedings upon said charges and specifications until the further order of our said court.

"Witness: Thomas H. Geddy, clerk of our said court, this 29th day of

tions until the further order of our said court. "Witness: Thomas H. Geddy, clerk of our said court, this 29th day of January, 1907, and in the year of our Commonwealth the one hun-

our Commonwealth the one nur-dred and twenty-first.

"I. H. Gaddy, Clerk.

"I certify that the bond required by the order of the court to be given before the issuance of this, has been duly executed before me.

"T. H. GEDDY, Clerk."

### Time to Consider.

Mr. Hunton grose and declared that in view of the paper just served, he sup-posed the members would desire time for a conference, and on motion of Judge redway a recess was taken until

Tredway a recess was taken until 2 o'clock.

Meanwhile Mr. Hunton held a long conference with Attorney-General Anderson, and when the board reconvened at 2:50 P. M. the following correspondence between Commissioner Lane and the Attorney-General was rend by the acting clerk, Captain J. G. Oaborne:

"Richmond, Va., January 20th."
"Hon, William A. Anderson, Attorney-General, City:
"Dear Sir.—A paper, of which the following is a copy, has been served upon each member of the General Board of Directors of Hospitals for the Insane, new in the city of Richmond.

"No petition for a writ of prohibition or mandamus, or other praper connected with this matter, has been served upon any member of the board.

The board is anxious for you to advise them what course they should pursue in view of the service of this paper upon the members of the board.

"Yours very truly,"
"L. W. LANE It.

"Yours very truly,
"L. W. LANE, Jr.

Commissioner of State Hospitals

## Major Anderson's Opinion.

Following is the answer of the Attor-by-General, which is in the nature of

hay-General, which is in the nature of an opision:

"Colonel L. W. Lane, Jr. city:
"Dear Sir-I have considered the question submitted in your favor of this instant as to the nature and effect of the paper purporting to be a wirl feated from the clerk's office of the city of Williamsburg, a copy of which has this day been served in the city of Richmond, upon each of the niembern of the board now in the city.

in the city.

"Tyon examining this paper I find that it is in part a writ of certiorari, and the part, and so far as it undertakes to stay any farther proceedings by said board in the matter referred to therei, in effect, a writ of prohibition.

"In either aspect, the paper was, it seems to me, issued without any authority of law, and the respect to officers and a proceeding-note within the jurisdiction of the Circuit Court of the city of Williamsburg. "Gurs very truly.

"WM. A. ANDERSON."

"Attorney-General."

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dge Tredway offered a res Judge freaway offered a resolution based upon the opinion of the Attorney-General, providing that the board do now proceed to hear argument by counsel in the case, and this was adopted by the following recorded vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Cols Tredway, Tallaferro, Morgan, Gilliam, Hansborough, Osborne, Straus and Bohannon—6.

Straus and Bohamon-9.

Noes-Messrs, Bland and Turk-2.

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Turk made a warm speech in opposition to the procedure proposed by Judge Tredway's resolution.
"I want it distinctly understood," be

declared, "that I don't propose to put myself in contempt of any court in this State. This mandate has come from a legally constituted tribunal, and for my awn part I shall respect it. I will vote "no" on the resolution. "I do not wish to be in contempt." re-piled Judge Tredway." but in view of the

pined diage freeway, but in view of the opinion of the Attorner-General, I do sny that this restraining order has no validity, and I think we should proceed with the matter before us."

Mr. Eland explained that he should vote

"no," and out of precaution a recorded Note was had, which resulted as is shown

It was 3:95 P. M. when Mr. Hunton which the case had taken all connected with it, and declared that it had been high purpose at all stages to be perfectly fair to all parties involved. He expected to maintain this fairness in the present disgussion, and was proceeding to take up the charges and evidence, when Colonel Lawless arcse, and in an impassioned speech, withdrew from the case, he and his client. Dr. Foster, quiet's leaving the

"Berry's for Clothes."



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gratitude for a chance to face the tempests of life. Every fit is here—bring in your form.

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### Lawless Retires.

"May I interrupt the gentleman?" asked olonel Lawless, as Mr. Hunton was roceeding with his opening statement. "Certainly," was the courteous reply of

I wish to say, declared the Norious lawyer almost dramatically, "that I am an officer of the law in every court in which I practice, and a citizen of this Commonwealth.

"A mandate has issued from the Circuit

Court of the city of Williamsburg re-straining this board from proceeding further in this case, and so for as I am concerned. I intend to respect that man-date and will refuse to take any further part in the matter.

sire to announce that I will retire from the case at this point."

"Do I understand that you are en-joined by this order, or that is it the board?" asked Mr. Hansborough.

"The board is enjoined from taking further proceeding in the matter," re-plied Colonel Lawless, "and I respect-fully ask the board to excuse me from further attendance."

At this point Colonel Lawless and Dr.

Mr. Hunton Speaks.

In view of Colonel Lawless's retirement, he did not know that it was necessary for him to argue the case, but the board yoted to hear him, and he proceeded to briefly sum up the evidence, arguing strengly that Dr. Foster had been clearly proven not to be the proper man for the position he held.

The first charge taken up by Mr. Hunton was the alleged failure of Dr. Foster to carry out a resolution of the board as to night attendants on the wards, and said: "He has wifully, deliberately and intentionally declined to obey it."

said: "He has wilfully, deliberately and intentionally declined to obey it."

Mr. Hunton declared that in this Dr. Foster had shown the grosses; insubordination, as in many other cases.

The speaker came to the question of "ducking," and declared that it appeared that it was resorted to as a means of punishmen rather than of treatment.

Colonel Tork interrupted to know if this ducking till yet the object to the property of the second colonel to the object to the property of the second colonel to the colonel to issument rather than of treatment, olone! Tink interrupted to know if this king did not take place seven years, and Mr. Hunton replied that it was ing Dr. Foster's administration. The irrey said it was clear to his mind to more than one patient had been used in the same water, and that fact that Dr. Foster did not know the was no excuse.

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In discussing the use of strait-jackets,
Mr. Hunton reviewed the evidence, and
declared that it was the testimony of
Dr. Henderson that they were not necessary even in extreme surgical cases.

## Charge Sustained.

He was sure the evidence sustained the charge that a patient had been strapped to his bed and an electric battery applied to his spine; and now he passed to the question of food. "Can any of you gentlemen who heard Dr. Foster's testimony on this point fail

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# SCENES AT HOSPITAL BOARD MEETING.



He asserted that Dr. Foster had shown an absolute unfamiliarity with the inner workings of the institution, and he thought the evidence fully sustained this charge.

Mr. Hunton was severe in his references to Dr. Foster for criticizing members of the special board, when these criticisms had been flatly denied by reputable witnesses, among them the members themselves.

"All of the charges that have been

members themselves.
"All of the charges that have been made against Dr. Foster that are of consequence have been sustained," declared Mr. Hunton, as he laid down his papers and spoke without notes. "He has said he was persecuted by your attorney. I am sure I wish to be fair to

"The evidence shows that Dr. Foster never held conferences with his assistant physicians, and it seems to me that this alone is sufficient to indicate that he is not

alone is sufficient to indicate that he is not a proper man for the place.

"Wasn't it his duty to have taken his medical staff into conference with reference to the use of strait-jackets on these poor unfortunate creatures?"

As to the use of caustic, he said Dr. Foster had testified that though it had resulted beneficially in trial cases, yet he had ordered it discontinued because of the adverse views held by the lafety and the public.

As to Dead Rodies

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"In the name of God," he exclaimed, "should not a superintendent of such an institution have the manheed and courage to continue a treatment beneficial to patients regardless of what the laiety may think."

tients regardless of what the laiety may think or the public may say?

"There is one thing about this matter which, if I had one dear to me in the Eastern State Hospital would make my blood run cold, and that is that when patients die they are put into their coffins and taken to the morgue without examination while their bodies are yet warm.

"We are told by the superintendent that this is better than to disturb his physicians at night.

this is better than to disturb his pro-ciaus at night.
"I say to you that this answer will not satisfy the people of this State or the demands of humanity, and I am horrified and ashamed that there is an institution in Virginia where such a thing goes on." In Virginia where such a thing goes on."

Mr. Hunton concluded by reminding the board that in view of the evidence it was an imperative duty they owed to the State to remove Dr. Foster from office

Colonel Turk for Foster.

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When Mr. Hunton had concluded his argument, Colonel Turk, of the board, arose and read a carefully prepared speech, in which he defended Dr. Foster from nearly all the charges made against him, and took some hard shots at the majority of the body.

"I look upon Dr. Foster as the victim of oppression," he said. "I do sympathize with him in this struggle, especially since I have heard the cyldence in

thize with him in this struggle, especially since I have heard the evidence in this case and the character of his defense and the accessitions against him, which let the most be made of them, are trivial and inconsequential. I do this more and more; because I now see the justness of such sympathy and the reasonableness of my position. I am not here as a cold, absolutely hearless judge, in whose bosom no sentiment must find n whose bosom no sentiment must find blace, nor am I here to indulge in plat-tudes over the sacredness of my trust, or in any other hypecritical rot, or en-arge upon the cares due the 'unfortunate

"Those at Williamsburg are safe; they re now and have been well protected. I am dealing now with the sane, I hope, and not the insane. I am here to make the best of a condition-one-which I did not help create, but which I have never prejudged, and which, if my ndvice is taken I believe I can discutangle.

## Will Soon Go Off.

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"If any edium attaches to me for this course, I will hear it, with jumility, if not with phasine. My life on this board will soon end, I do not think I have been of much service either to the State at large or the hospitals in particular. I have borne a most inconsequental and inconspicuous part. I have never in nearly four years of service on this board sufficiently attracted the attention of the Commissioner of Hospitals to be placed on even the most insignificant committees, and I have, therefore, but little record to leave behind me. I have the experience of being walked over rough-shod by this board in one of the most important matters pertaining to the government of my own hospital, and having been thus roughly handled it may be idle in me

pecially those who work, did not get enough to eat?"

Coming to the charge of the lack of harmony among the medical staff and Dr. Foster, Mr. Hunton asked: "Who of you can fail to believe that this charge was sustained?"

He declared that it came out in evidence that Dr. Foster had said he was handicapped by Dr. Southall, his second physician. In dealing with the rule requiring the superintendent to visit the wards daily, Mr. Hunton said it appeared it had been carried out only in a haphazard sort of way.

Not Proper Exertion.

Mr. Hunton took the ground that the present executive building was ample for office room for the assistant physicians, if indeed the superintendent had exerted himself to this end.

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It has Last Advice.

"But such meeting was not held, conditions changed, I remained with you, and am here to profer you, possibly, my and all not vote to dismiss Dr. Foster, and they seld that if they should for the Circuit Court of James City county. They desire to state, however, that should any other matters and they seld the sound any other matters are covered to this board.

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"It has Last Advice.

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within two months of the end of his term.

"If he has managed this institution so well for nearly eight years, why may he not round out his term, since he has declared that under no circumstances; if vindicated in character, would he agoin, seek the office. Recollect that vindication in character means not sap or idle words, but real confidence.

Should Serve Out Term.

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"That was my solution of this question before. It seems to me the only proper one now. To dismiss him now, after the character he has shown, after the mainer in which he his conducted his office, would, in my judgment, savor so much of persecution that I believe the motive for such action could never he added. for such action could never be adequate y explained,

ly explained.

"Dismissing him now, after so many abortive attempts on previous occasions would hurt us far more than Dr. Foster, and be of no service so far as I can see to the State."

Colonel Turk thought Dr. Foster should be allowed to serve out his term.

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## The board took a recess until 8 o'clock, ORDER OF REMOVAL

ENTERED ON RECORD

Long Night Session of the Board Is Held to Complete

Work.

Colonel Lane called the night session o order at 9:45 o'clock, and Judge Tred-vay was on his feet with a series of esolutions in a moment. "Do these resolutions you propose to of-er refer to Dr. Foster?" asked Colonel

"Turk,
"They do," was the reply.
"Then I desire to offer a paper on be-Mr. Bland and myself, and to ask that it be made a part of the record."

The following was read, and the two
members referred to excused:

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"George C. Bland and R. S. Turk,
members of the board, beg leave to
withdraw from the further consideration of the questions arising upon
the trial of Dr. L. S. Foster before
this board. In doing so they state
that they take this action without any

## THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia-Fair Thursday riday increasing cloudiness, followed y snow or rain; light northeast to east winds. North Carolina—Rain Thursday and probably Friday; fresh northeast winds. Conditions Yesterday.

Thermometer This Day Last Year 

Conditions in Important Cities.

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(At 8 P. M., Eastern Time.)

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Asheville, N. C., 44 44 Cloudy
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Davenport 20 22 Rain
Detroit, Mich. 12 16 Clear
Hatteras, N. C. 40 48 P. cloudy
Jacksonville 58 65 Clear
Kansas City 22 38 Rain
New Orleans 68 78 Rain
Okishoma City 26 26 Rain
Pittshirg, Pa 22 28 Rain
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Sayannah 54 64 Cloudy

Dr. Brunk Named.

Here is the second resolution presented by Judge Tredway, appointing Dr. O. C. Brunk as superintendent:

"By virtue of the Constitution of Virginia and the laws of the State of Virginia, be it resolved:

"ist. That Dr. O. C. Brunk be, and he is hereby, appointed superintendent of the Eastern State Hospital for the unexpired term of Dr. L. S. Foster, removed, ending on the 15th day of April, 1997.

"2d. That Dr. L. S. Foster be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to turn over to the said Dr. O. C. Brunk, Superintendent of the Eastern State Hospital, all of the property of the said hospital in the possession of the said L. S. Foster."

This resolution was adonted, those vot-

Dr. Henderson Praised.

The following was offered by Judge Tredway and adopted by the same vote: "Resolved, 1st, That this board appreciates the manly, direct and patriotic letter of Dr. J. M. Henderson and the sentiments therein expressed, and while it cannot withdraw its charges against him, it is of the opinion that whatever faults may be nitributed to him were largely due to the conditions at the Eastern State Hospital, and have not impaired its confidence in him as a man or as a physician.
"2d. That the Special Board of Directors for the Eastern State Hospital be, and it is hereby, directed to accept the resignation of said Dr. J. M. Henderson, as first assistant physician of the Eastern State Hospital but request him to continue to discharge the duties "Resolved, 1st, That this board ap-

him to continue to discharge the duties of this office until his successor quali-

for this office until Ind Successor quantiles, and to receive his salary therefor, from January 1, 1997, so long as he continues to discharge said duties.

"3d. That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to Dr. J. M. Henderson."

Colonel Turk offered a resolution, which the control of the August President Proceedings of the Colonel Turk offered a resolution, which the control of the August President President. went over to the April meeting, providing for a female physician at the Central for a female physician at the control Hospital at Petersburg. The body adjourned sine die at exactly

Dr. Brunk will leave for Williamsburg this morning to take charge of the hos-

## VIRGINIA BANKERS. Business Session Followed by

Dinner and Theatre Party.

Dinner and Theatre Party.

The Virginia Bankers' Association met at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Only the usual routine business was transacted, and it was decided to hold the next annual convention during the Jamestown Exposition in June.

After the business session the members of the committee adjourned to a banquet at Rueger's, which was followed by a box party at the theatre.

Those present at the meeting were Mr. W. N. Addison, of Richmond; Mr. Schwartzkopf; Mr. Gatling, of Lynchhurg; Mr. Hill, of Richmond; Mr. Poilard, of Petersburg; Mr. Hurt, of Biackstone; Mr. West, of Newport News; Mr. Jones, of Suffolk, and Mr. Venable, of Farmville.

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Cliver Man Not Secure Contract for Isthmian Canal Work.

Says Oliver's Bid Was "Hopelessly Defective," and Leans Toward New York Mch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 58.—
It is still possible that the administration may determine to dig the Panama Canal, the placing the work in the hinds of Chief Engineer Stevens, in stead of having it done under contract. The final decision will depend with the Prosident and Secretary of War on their opinion as to what the administration is justified in accepting the bit to do it by contract.

It was pointed out to-day on high authority that the government has not promised to accept the bid of W. J. Oliver, who has been given an opportunity to associate himself with two other contractors to do the work at his bid of six and three-quarter per cent. The President and Socretary Taft feel that the question of cost is not the one alone to be considered, and that they would be justified in declining to enter into a contract to dig the canal if they felt that the government interests would be best subserved by not doing so.

Loeb's Statement. Loeb's Statement.

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The following statement was made public at the White House to-night by Secretary Loob:

"Reports in the papers seem to indicate a belief that the canal contract has been conditionally awarded to Mr. Oliver. This is not so. No decision has been made, even that the contract will be awarded to any of the bidders. Mr. Oliver's bid was so hopelessly defective that it; could not be even considered, and tifne was given him to complete it in shape that will enable it to receive consideration. If it is put in to such shape it will be considered, together with the bid already made by Gillespie McArthur combbination, which may itself be altered, and them whichever bid after the nost careful examination seems most advantageous may be taken, or both bids rejected and the canal be constructed under the direct supervision of the government.

In such case the government would, wherever it chose, use contractors simply as agents. The real advantage of contracting the work is to have assembled a large number of the best specialists in each class sof work, and the prime consideration will be the ability and fitness shown in a variety of directions by the men making the bid. The President and the commission would not even consider a bid of merely one or two men. The work is already going well. Over half a million cubic feet were taken out of the Culebra Ctri in January, and the amount being taken out is steadily increasing.

## MR. HARDIN IS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

day.

In a letter to a friend here in the city, Mr. J. W. Dodd, who knows Mr. Hardin intimately, and who did not know of his disappearance from Richmond, said that he had met Mr. Hardin on the 16th of the month in Charlotte, N. C., where he was in company with a Nr. Jacobs, drummer for a coffee concern.

Mr. Dodd was writing to a young lady and did not know that Mr. Hardin was not in Richmond. He casually mentioned that he had met Mr. Hardin and Mr. Jacobs while in Charlotte.

Mr. Jacobs while in Charlotte.

This information came before the telegram, which said that Mr. Hardin was in Lancaster, S. C., with his mother, and that he would probably return here to-day.

## WANT EXPENSIVE BOOKS. State Librarian Advertises for the

Best Type of Volumes. State Librarian John P. Kennedy has sent out a circular letter to publishers asking for bids to furnish a large number of specified books for use in travel-ing libraries, destined for rural sections of the State. Under the specifications all bids must be in the hands of the libra-

of the State. Under the specifications all bids must be in the hands of the librarian and the State Library Board by 9 A. M. February 4th, the dag before the legislative joint committee investigating schoolbook prices reconvenes.

The list of books submitted embraces author, title, date of imprint, publisher and list price entries, which must be followed to the letter. No edition other than that specified will be considered, it is announced, and it is further provided that the cheap, inferior editions, prepared chiefly for department stores, will not be considered for a moment. No variation from the edition specified will be considered.

There are in the edition specified will be considered.

There are in the list about 1,500 books, but many of each are included and in some cases sets are embraced. Some of the books in the editions sought run in list price from \$5 to \$50, and one is a \$75 edition. This last price is for a set of Bulwer Lytton.

## DR. FORSYTHE COMING.

day and speak to the Covenanter boys at the Second Presbyterian Church on Eriday evening at 8 o'clock. All boys are especially invited, and seats will be reserved for the members of the Covenanter Societies.

On Sunday afternoon Dr. Forsythe will speak to the students of the two medical-colleges, and on Sunday night to the Ladles' Missionary Societies of the Presbyterian Churches at the Second Church, On Monday Dr. Forsythe will speak to the students of Union Theological Semi-dary, Further announcement will be made and the Second Church ary, Further announcement will be made nary. Further announcement will be made

# THE GREAT LOEB TALKS GEORGE OCHS WEDS MISS BERTIE M. GANS

Publisher and General Manager of Philadelphia Public Ledger

Becomes Benedict. Becomes Benedict.

PHILADELPHIA, January 20.—George W. Ochs, publisher and general menager of the Public Ledger, and Miss Bertle M, Gans, were married to-night by the Rev, Dr. Joseph Kraskouf, Mrs. William Bamburger, of New York, was matron of honor, and Adolph S. Ochs, publisher of the New York Times, and a brother of the heldgroom, was heat man.

the New York Times, and a brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Ochs will sail to-merrow for Europe. Among the gifts was a loving cup 'presented by former City Councils and city officials of Chattanooga, Tenn., of which city Mr. Ochs was twice Mayor, and a bronze mirror from the employ of the Chattanooga, Tenn., Times and the

# DEMISTER TO FACE ABDUCTION CHARGE

Miss May Foster, Young Woman in Case, Grandniece of Senator Butler.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., January M.-J. M. Dempster, the traveling man who was arrested yesterday, charged with the abarrested yesterday, charged with the abduction of Miss May Toster, of Greenville, S. C. has been taken back to Greenville to answer the charge, against him. The girl was returned to her people on the same train. It is learned to high that Miss Foster is from one of the most prominent of South Carolina's families, being a grandniece of Senator M. C. Butler, of that State. Sho was a student at Sacred Heart Academy, at Greenville, at the time of the escawas a student at Sacred Heart Academy, at Greenville, at the time of the escapade. The minimum penalty in South Carolina for the crime charged to Dempster is three years. Dempster travels for a leading shoe factory of Massachu-

Entertain Their Friends. Entertain Their Friends.

Mrs. R. C. Turner, of 413 East Clay
Strect, entertained delightfully at cards
last evening a number of friends it,
honor of her guest, Miss Margaret Mae
Kalbaugh, of Piedmont, W. Va. Miss
Kalbaugh is a charming young lady of
high attainments, and has a host of
friends in this city.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Richmond Friends of WellKnown Broker Reassured
by News.

Advices received late last night were to the effect that W. H. Hardin, president of the Hardin Brokerage Company, of No. 113 South Fourteenth Street, who has been missing since the 8th of this month, is in Lancaster, S. C., by the side of his sick mother. It was also reported that he left yesterday for Richmond, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Dudlemond, and would probably be here to-day.

In a letter to a friend here in the city, Mr. J. W. Dodd, who knows Mr. Hardin intimately, and who did not know of his disappearance from Richmond, said that he had met Mr. Hardin on the 16th of the month in Charlotte, N. C., where he was in company with a Nr. Jacobs, drummer for a coffee concern.

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Katbaugh is a charming young lady of high attainments, and has a host of friends in this city.

Mrs. Turner's parlors were beautifully accorated with palms and ferns, and the halls were artistically arranged with Philadis were ar

German Forest Culture. The wood-cutting in the demesnial for-ests of Alsace-Lorraine, Germany, will

ests of Alsace-Lorraine, Germany, Will produce this year, in all, 18,022,219 cubic feet of timber, of all sorts—5,757,369 cubic feet of timber suitable for construction purposes and 11,254,550 cubic feet of fuel wood. The timber is cut each year and sold to the public. The mountains are never entirely denueded of timber over any least secretary or area, and small strips large territory or area, and small strips are indicated for cutting by the authori-ties, and thick forests are frequently thinned out. All the underbrush and small branches are sold in bundles for

Aside from the large amount of tim-Aside from the large amount of thather furnished by the forests of Baden and Alsace-Lorraine, new timber is constantly being planted to supply the wants of future generations. The forests are provided with splendid drives and walks, making them at all times accessible to tourists. On Sundays the trains in Alsace-Lorraine and Baden are crowded with people from the cities and towns who spend the day in the forests.—Daily Consular Reports.

The Truth.
Miss Cutting: "Awfully rude and inquisitive, isn't he?"
Miss Passay: "Excessively. He was trying to find out my age the other day. I just told him I was 48. That settled him."

Miss Cutting: "Yes, I guess it is best to be perfectly candid with that sort of fellow."—The Catholic Standard and

With His Knife.

With His Knife,
"That fellow Jones you pointed out
to me yesterday is a 'sword-swallower,'
isn't he?"
"Nonsense! Did you think you saw
him in a dime museum?"
"O! no, but I saw him in a restaurant
to-day."—The Catholic Standard and
Times.

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Dr. Forsythe will reach the city on Fri-Polk Miller Drug Co.. Polk Miller-Childrey Co., 101 E. Broad St.